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For: ARABIDOPSIS *ARGOS*, A NOVEL GENE INVOLVED IN ORGAN
DEVELOPMENT

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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May 24, 2006

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the Office Action mailed February 24, 2006 in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the Office Action is due May 24, 2006. Accordingly, this reply is being timely filed. Please amend the subject application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.